



MURPHY'S NEW COURT HOUSE.

Cherokee County to Build a Court House With Face of Native Marble.

The STATE CHRONICLE is glad to be able to present to its readers to day a picture of the new Court House which the Commissioners and Magistrates of Cherokee county have decided to erect at Murphy. It will be a handsome building and an ornament to the town and county, as well as its best advertisement. It is to have a face and trimmings of marble quarried from the Cherokee county quarries. Marble of almost every shade of color is found in Cherokee, and the Western North Carolina Railroad runs in such close proximity to the marble as to enable parties to load it directly from the quarries into the cars. A marble Court House will advertise this marble better than an hundred agents and an hundred newspapers. The Commissioners and Magistrates have not exactly determined whether it shall have an entire marble face, and have advertised for bids with the marble face and only with marble trimming. But they have decided to build it, and it is a decision in which the entire State is interested. It shows that we are going forward. As the Murphy Bulletin well and truly put it: "The Court House will stand the storm of ages and retain its original beauty and magnificence." The Commissioners and Magistrates have acted wisely, and the CHRONICLE rejoices that a spirit of faith in the glorious future of their county has been present with them. This marble Court House will be a monument for centuries to come of the wisdom of the men now living in Cherokee.

THE UNIVERSITY.

Progress at the University Along Important Lines.

[Special to STATE CHRONICLE.]

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., March 10, 1890.—The Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees of the University, to whom the questions were referred by the Board at their annual meeting, have resolved to carry into effect several measures which increase the usefulness of the institution.

1. An Assistant Professor of Mathematics, who must be an expert teacher of drawing, will be elected. A course in Engineering will be offered, so arranged that the student can elect either of its branches, civil, electrical or mining engineering. The T. B. E. (Bachelor of Engineering) will be given to one completing the course. Students will not only be taught theoretically, but will be required to do full work and handle instruments, to run railroad lines, trace curves, build bridges, practice free hand and geometrical drawing, operate in telegraphy, use of dynamo and motors, photography, the constructing and working of furnaces, extracting metals, and other practical work. With such accomplished experts as Professors Venable, Holmes, Gore and Cain, the University will turn out students well prepared to begin with intelligence and skill, and win excellence in the several branches of engineering work.

2. Laboratory work will be established in the Department of Physics. The students will not be confined to witnessing experiments in electricity, optics, &c., but duplicate sets of apparatus will be provided, so that they can work out experiments for themselves, and become familiar with the use of machines and instruments.

3. Provision was made for the purchase of costly and valuable books of reference in the Department of English; also plans of Athens, large maps of Greece, photographs of Grecian buildings, &c., such as have already been provided in the Latin Department.

Appropriations were made a year ago for extensive additions to the apparatus and other means of instruction in the department of Chemistry, Natural History and Physics; and in the other departments by purchase of new books, including a full set of the Reports of the Supreme Court of the United States.

An announcement that will be received with pleasure by all the Alumni, and especially by those who attended the Centennial celebration, is that a resolution has been adopted to give at each commencement a banquet. Wednesday afternoon, just after the annual address, will be allotted to this feature of the week's exercises.

The Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees have ordered that a memorial tablet be placed in Memorial Hall in honor of Dr. Charles Phillips, Professor of Engineering 1854-1860, and Professor of Mathematics 1861-1868, and that the names be granted the relations of Prof. Phillips to place a tablet there to memory.

George T. Winston, Professor of Latin, and W. H. H. Wills, of the Junior class, have written a very creditable letter on the "Pecan Problem" in the last Nation.

Sr. C. H.

The Greensboro Patriot of last week published a list of the new enterprises started in that city within the past year, from which it appears that \$2,000,000

FIRE IN GREENSBORO.

Thomas Bro's Fine Job Printing Office Burned.

[Special Cor. to STATE CHRONICLE.] GREENSBORO, N. C., March 9.—At 4 a. m. the fire alarm was sounded, and for awhile the prettiest block in the city, as also the Benbow House, was threatened with destruction by fire.

The tower to the wind-mill of the Benbow House, which stood just in the rear of the fine job office of the Thomas Brothers, was discovered to be on fire. The steamer and the several reel hose soon had five streams of water upon the flames.

At six all danger was over, and the following is the loss:

Thomas Brothers, loss, \$8,000, insured for \$3,000. They lose a fine gas engine, four fine presses, a ruling machine, much paper stock, and a lot of unfinished work, and their composing room is in a pitiable sight. "Pi" is no name for it; but they will get to work to-morrow straightening up.

The prospectus of the Steel and Iron Works Company was nearly ready for the public—the last form being in type. How much delay it will give this mammoth new enterprise cannot be foreseen to-day.

J. O'Connor, grocer, on first floor of same building, had a \$3,000 stock of goods, insured for \$1,000, deluged with water.

J. W. Reed & Co., commercial brokers, next store (south), \$2,000—no insurance.

Mr. Pratzfelder's goods damaged by water to a slight extent.

Several drummers, also, suffered loss as three of the Benbow House sample rooms were drenched with water—among them Will Conrad.

The fire originated in the ice-house and cannot be accounted for.

The firemen did excellent work, notwithstanding they were covered with ice wherever wet.

But for the superior water supply our city would have presented a sad Sunday spectacle, as the Thomas Bros., occupied the second story of the brick building next to Benbow House—only a forty foot street between.

GREEN S. BOROUGH.

MR. BUNN SPEAKS.

He is Setting Himself Against The Schemes to Rob The Treasury.

[Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Mr. Bunn made a brief speech in the House yesterday afternoon, as a member of the Committee on Claims, about what is known as the Emery claim. The subject is not of especial interest to our people, but Mr. Bunn presented the case in a condensed, comprehensive and able speech and made a very good impression.

A Fertilizer Company.

[Twin City Daily.]

A movement is now on foot for the establishment of a fertilizer factory in Winston. Mr. P. M. Wilson, of Raleigh, was in the city a few days ago consulting Mr. R. J. Reynolds, who is at the head of the enterprise. Mr. Reynolds informed a Daily reporter this morning that in all probability the business will be established. If such a decision is reached the old Winston flouring mills will be converted into a factory. The fertilizer will be made of tobacco stems, phosphates, etc.

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ON MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF April, 1890, at 12 m., we will expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in the city of Raleigh, the following property:

1st. One tract of land in House's Creek township, adjoining the lands of Anderson Page, G. H. Smith and S. H. Smith, containing 35 acres more or less.
2d. One mouse colored mule.
3d. One half interest in one 10-horse-power Tanager engine; one Boss Cotton Press; one Centennial Cotton Gin with all the shaftings, pulleys, &c., thereto belonging.

This sale is made by virtue of the powers given us in three mortgages by Hilliard T. Smith, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wake county in Book 70, page 182, book 103, page 534, book 106, page 236. LATT & MYATT, Raleigh, March 6, '90. Mortgagees. mar9



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AUCTION SALE OF CITY PROPERTY.

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AUCTION SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of power conferred on me by a certain deed of trust executed by Hilliard T. Smith, which is duly recorded in Registry of Wake County, N. C. in book No. 89, page 494, as well as by direction of said Smith, I will on Monday, April 7, 1890, at 12 o'clock m., at the courthouse door in the city of Raleigh, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, all the property in said deed described, being one tract of land in Houses' Creek township containing about 60 acres, one 10-horse-power Tanager Engine; one Boss Cotton Press; one Centennial Cotton Gin and fixtures. B. F. MONTAGUE, Raleigh, March 6, '90. Trustee. mar9

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